



BORIS THE SPIDER

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Raw Power, and Naked Greed

"Oh, what a tangled web we weave
When first we practice to deceive!"
--Sir Walter Scott--



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Barry Blows By!

Tropical Storm Barry made landfall maybe 20 miles east of here. We got some rain and some small to medium branches falling. Folks out TJ's way lost power for awhile. Could've been a lot worse. Indeed, some local wags have renamed it T.S. Barely.

I went wth the normal 4-week cycle this time rather than the more memorable "First Friday" deadline so I could use both the Labor Day and Discoverers' Day weekends to work up the Sep and Oct issues.

STANDBY ALERT! The following positions may be available

ADVANCED CIVILIZATION: Thrace --apply to Flint Webb

BORIS'S BULLETIN BOARD

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH: There are some defeats more triumphant than victories.

--Michel de Montaigne

Don Chinnery is offering to GM in these pages an 18xx variant of his son Dan's design, 18CTR. "18CTR is an 18xx game where you race to the golden spike in Utah. Up to four players control the Union Pacific, Central Pacific, San Francisco, and Rock Island railroads. Setup is easy. Players randomly receive predetermined stock packages, so you are running trains immediately. If you want an 18xx game that can be played in 6 turns or about 10-12 operating rounds, then this is for you! You will be provided with a copy of the map, and a copy of the rules. You will need to take trains, tiles, and certificates from another 18xx game that you own." Let him know if you're interested. This could be the replacement for ADV CIV or "Liquor".

Any interest in another pbem RAIL BARON game? So far we have Andy York.

James Kanne's modem got fried (third summer in a row -- go figure) so plan on negotiating with him by phone until he gets back on line. His cousin, Chad Wertz, has moved back to Minnesota (see p 19). As of 25 Aug, when he weds ex-Boriser Debby Osborne (Boris & Ms Nar plan to witness the event), Dave Anderson will have a new address (see p 18).

BOOS & KUDOS

This month's Madame Bolduc Press Excellence Award (and free issue) goes to Rick Copeland for his CIRCUS MAXIMUS press.

This month's Ms Nar Super-Sudsby Bomb is lobbed at Phil Reynolds for his abusive ABN press this time and last.

PERSONAL COMMUNICATION HERE (maybe):

Deadline for most games is 1800 CDT 31 Aug 01



MIRKWOOD: Lord One-Eyed has resisted the siren call of the beerhalls of Munich, so we can assume that the Western Alliance has passed its first acid test. The FIN-NAF stalemate line is essentially in place, so now it's a draw or internecine rivalry. Austria would appear to be most vulnerable, but would the Turks pick up enough centers to make it worth being sole odd-man out?

TROOP MOVEMENTS:

English A SIL retreats to PRU. German F BEL retreats to ENG. Italian A ROM retreats to TUS. Austria builds A VIE. England builds A LON.

AUSTRIA (Boylum): A Gre H, [A Pie-Mar]r-???, F Nap S TUR F F Ion-Tyn, A Bud S A Vie, A Rom S F Nap, F Ven H, [A Tri-Tri], [A Vie S A Tri-Tri]

ENGLAND (Shacklett): A Pru S F Ber, F Hol-Kie, F Ber S A PRU, F Nth C A Ion-Den, F Kie-Bal, [F Bot-StPisc], F Nrg-NAt, A Lvn S A StP-Mos, [A StP-Mos], F Bel H, A Lon-Den

FRANCE (Kanne): A Bre-Pic, [A Boh-Vie], F Tun S F Tyn, [A Tri S A Boh-Vie], [F Tyn S TUR F Ion-Nap]l[nsol], F Lyc S F Mar-Pie, F Mar-Pie.

TURKEY (Fisher): A War H, F Bla-Con, A Sil S A War, [A Mos S A War], [F Aeg S F Ion]otm, [F Ion-Tyn], A Sev S A Mos, A Rum-Gal.

Orders in brackets fail, imp = impossible, NMR = no move received, NRR = no retreat received, NVR = no vote received, nso = not so ordered, nap = no such place, nsu = no such unit, otb = off the board, r-??? = unit must retreat to ???, u = unordered.

Austrian A PIE must retreat otb or to TUS.

Due next time are your retreats, and orders for Fall 1907.



"The Schwartz reagent is fine if you just want to reduce your tertiary amides, but if you want to crush them into a cowardly quivering pulp, I highly recommend the Schwarzenegger reagent."



ERRATA: The Turkish positions last time were mostly wrong.

MINAS MORGUL: France and Germany are now positioned to stamp "Case Closed" on the British Empire, but are the Russians coming in to share the spoils or save British bacon? Of what of the French sortie to the biergartens of Munich? The Italo-Austrian force has managed to trap a Turkish fleet, but how long can they hold out if and when the Tsar and the Sultan start working hand-in-glove? And how long will Austria be necessary?

TROOP MOVEMENTS:

AUSTRIA (Fryling): A Ser S ITA F Ion-Gre;

ENGLAND (Boyum): A Yor S F Lon, F Edi S A Yor, F Lon S A Yor;

FRANCE (Curtis): A Bur-Mun, A Pic-Wal, F Mid-Irl, F Eng C A Pic-Wal, F Spa(sc)-Lyo;

GERMANY (Copeland): A Kie S F Den, A Bel-Wal, F Hol-Nth, F Den S F Hol-Nth, F Nth-Nrg, A Ber S A Kle;

ITALY (Anderson): A Alb S AUS A Ser, A Tri S AUS A Ser, F Ion-Gre, F Tyn-Ion, A Ven S A Tri;

RUSSIA (Wertz): A Nwy-Fin, A Vic S A Rum-Bud, F Bla-Rum, F Swe S F StP(ncl-Nwy, A Sil-Boh, A Rum-Bud, A Gal S A Rum-Bud, A Mos-War, F StP(nel-Nwy;

TURKEY (K. Wilson): [A Gre-Ser](d), A Con-Bul, F Aeg-Eas, F Bul(sc)-Aeg, A Smy-Con.

Due next time are orders for Fall 1903 and Press. Ms Nar craves Press! Note new addresses for Italy and Russia.

EMBASSY BEAT

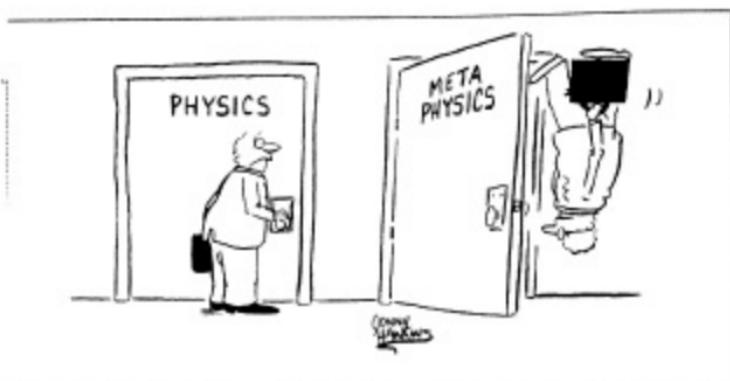
Ger-Rus---SO, you feel your north coast to be threatened by my North Sea fleet? Hardly. I think a build in Sevastopol would have served you better.

Ger-Tur---Bootlicker.

ITALY-GERMANY: If this was a Bourse game, I'd invest in roubles.

ITALY-RUSSIA: Hello? I can't believe the Czar of all Russia doesn't have a working phone line!

ITALY-TURKEY: Into the breach once more!





BALKAN WARS VI Serbs Migrate South!

Spring 1914

2000D
pb08

VOTE: 0 Yea, 2 Nay, 3 NVR= Yea, so the GR win fails. An R/T win is proposed.

KLENDATHU: Serbia continues her march southward, heedless of the Rumanian rabble nibbling at her heels. Albania falls into lockstep with the Rumanian war machine and it even looks like the Turks are playing flunkie. If so, it would behoove the Greeks and the Serbs to forget their animosities and coordinate their defenses. But since when have the Serbs looked out for anyone but themselves? And when have the Greeks ever foregone a chance to thwack Turks to the exclusion of all else?

TROOP MOVEMENTS:

Greek A SAL retreats otb. Turkish F CYC retreats to COR. Albania disbands F SAS. Greece builds F CYP. Rumania builds A BUC, A SOF, & F DUB. Serbia builds A SKO.

ALBANIA (Morrison): F NAS S RUM A Bel to Mon:

GREECE (Anderson): [F Rho-Cyc], F SMS S F Cyp-EMS, [F Ath S F Cyc-Aeg], [F Cyc-Aeg], F Cyp-EMS;

RUMANIA (R. Fisher): [A Nis-Tir], A Bos H, F Mar S TUR F Thr-Aeg, A Cro-Bel, A Bel-Mon, A Her S A Bel-Mon, [A Sof-Mac], A Mac S TUR F Thr-Aeg, F Dub-SBS;

SERBIA (Reynolds): A Sal S A Val-Epi, A Val-Ept, A Tir-Val, A Mon-Tir, A Sko S A Mon-Tir.

TURKEY (K. Wilson): A Plo-Thr, F Var-Cone, [F Cor-Ath], F Thr-Aeg, F Cone-Smy, F EMS-SMS (r-???)

Orders in brackets fail, d= destroyed, nso (not so ordered), otb = off the board, otm = on the move, r-?? (retreats to ???), u = unordered

Turkish F EMS must retreat otb or to CIL.

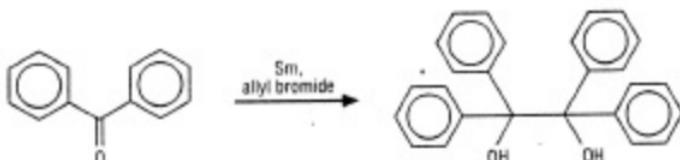
Proposed is a Turko-Rumanian win. VOTE! NMR = Y, NVR = Y. One nay vote vetoes proposal. Due next time are votes, retreats, and orders for Fall 1914.

EMBASSY BEAT

ATHENS--In the social event of the century, Prime Minister David Andersoni married Lady Osborne of Scotland via Canada near the Acropolis. The social elite such as the Bolducs, the Sakanakis', and the Feta family, was in attendance.

The reception was marred by the former Bulgarian ambassador, drunken out of his skull, throwing Molotov cocktails around after a 300 point Dow-Jones drop, claiming "I was wanting to have a little bang for my bucks!"

SERBIA TO GREECE: You won't be part of a draw as long as I'm alive.





MACHIAVELLI
Second Austrian Fleet Sunk!
Fall 1522



RAGNOCITTA: Emperor Phil's navy has taken it on the chin again, losing a fleet in Corsican waters to a Turco-Florentine task force. The Florentines also figure in on the Austrian route from Perugia by Papal forces. Otherwise the fronts are rather static.

TROOP MOVEMENTS

AUSTRIA (Reynolds, 4d): [A Mil S A Pav], [A Tur S A Pav], A Pav S A Tur, [A Per S A Rom] (r-??), A Mes S F Bar-Otr, [A Rom S A Per], [F Cor-Sar] (d), A Sla S A Carin-Carn, [A Carin-Carn], A Tyr S A Mil, [F Bar-Otr], [F TS-Sar], [F WM-Tun];

FLORENCE (Hassler, 0d): A Pio = G, F Gen S FRE F Sav-LS, A Are S PAP A Sie-Per, A Luc-Mod, [F LS-Cor];

FRANCE (McConnell, 0d): A Avi-Swi, A Mon S A Salz-Tur, F Pro S F Sav-LS, F Sav-LS, F Mar S TUR F Gol, [A Salz-Tur];

PAPACY (Narhi, 10d): A Man H, A Sie-Per, [A Spo-Rom], A Anc H;

TURKEY (Scott, 0d): A Rag-Her, F LA S A Otr-Bar, F Gol S FLO F LS-Cor, [A Car-Carin], [A Otr-Bar], [F CM-Tun], [F Ion-Otr];

VENICE (Vasseur, 7d?): A Trent S TUR A Car-Carin, F Dal-Cro, F Cro-Ist, [A Ver-Carin], [A Ber-Mil], [F UA-Car];

AUTONOMOUS: Cre, Luc, Mod, Mon

Orders in brackets fail; b = besieged, d = destroyed, imp = impossible, nsu = no such unit, otb = off the board, r-?? = must retreat to ??, u = unordered.

Austrian A PER must retreat otb or to PAT or URB or into garrison.

Status: (Home provinces in caps) Variable income roll was 2.

AUS: 4+37*d, AUS BAR MES MIL PAL NAP SAR TYR AQU CAP CARIN -OTR SAL -Cor Hun Pav +Rom +Sla +Tun

FLO: 0+20d, ARE FLO PISA PIS +Cor +Gen +Pio

FRA: 0+15d, AVI MAR SALZ SWI PRO Sav -Tur

PAP: 10+14*d, ANC BOL PER -ROM URB SPO PAT +Man

TUR: 0+20d, ALB DUR TUN HER BOS Car Rag +Otr

VEN: 7?+24d, PAD TRE VEN DAL BER VER FRI IST Cro Fer +Trent

* If AUS A PER r otb, Austria earns 37d and the Papacy earns 14d. If it retreats to either PAT or URB or into garrison, then Austria earns 38d and the Papacy 13d.

Due next time are orders for Fall 1522, and Press. Ms Nar craves Press.

... "Pelleus" (continued from p 6)

Morrison: EI: LT(c), MTW3,C1, Pal(c,f); EII: Dal, Dan, Mor(C,EM), Pin, Sib(2)

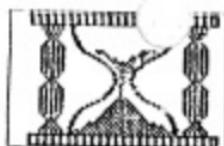
Kanne: AI: Nub, WAn; AII: Lin(c,YM), PSD, UT(c), Zag; AVI: Lev(C1).

K Wilson: GI: Cre(C), Lib, Nil(c,AM), UNK(c,f); GH: Cau(2), CEu(GM), CMa, Dnt; GV: EAn(C,GM).

Ships: Bla(E), EMS(E), Red(A), WMS(E)

SCORE (SP/VM): O(10/16), Y(10/16), G(11/32), A(13/27), E(13/27), P(13/5+) R(4/7).

DUE NEXT TIME: Purple's Carthage.



PELEVS

EPOCHS II



THE CAST

Anderson: Red
Kanne: Azure
McCabe: Orange

Morrison: Ebony
Klausutis: Purple

M. Fisher: Yellow
K. Wilson: Green

Errata: Green's Hittites earned a Monument at EAn so Green gets +2 VP.

BOARD:

Anderson: RI: Hin.
M. Fisher: YI: Cey, EGh, LIn(C,YM), PSD, UIn, WDe
Klausutis: PI: PPl, Tar(PM), Tur, Zag
McCabe: OI: Che, SiK, Tar, Wei, Yell(C,OM)
Morrison: EI: Lev, LTK(c), MT(C), UTI.
Kanne: AI: Nub, Pal, WAN
K. Wilson: GI: Cret(C), Lib, Nil(c,AM); GV: EAn(C,GM).
Ships: EMS(G), Red(A)

SCORE (SP/VP): G(4/12), Y(4/8), R(4/7), E(4/7), O(4/6), A(5/9), P(5/5).

EPOCH II

Green passes to Orange. Yellow holds. Red holds. Ebony holds. Orange passes to Azure. Azure passes to Green. Purple must hold.

PHOENIX(A): Play 1A,C @ Lev (1BI r-UTI), 1F @ EMS (6,1:1 -1GF), 1A @ Nil (5,2:6,3 -1AVI).

ASSYRIA(A): Play 1A,C @ UTI (2BI r-MTII), 2A @ Zag(2,1:6,3; 6,5:1,1 -1AI, -1PI), 4A @ PSD(5,4:6; 3,1:4; 3,3:6; 5,1:4 -3AI, -1YI), 1A @ LIn(5,4:3 -C, +c, -1YI). VP = 9 + C(2x2) + c(1) + M(1) + S(2) + Mid E (D=6) + N Afr(P=2) + India (P=2) = 27.

CHOM DYNASTY(O): Play 1A,C,OM @ Wei (1OI r-Yel), 1A @ Yan, Sze, Irr, Che(-1OI), Mal. VP = 4 + C(2x2) + M(2x2) + China (D=4) = 16.

VEDIC S.S. (Y): 1A,C @ UIn (1YI r-WDe), 1A @ GaV, GaD, 2A @ Mal (3,2:5,1; 6,5:4,3 -1YII & 1OII), 1A @ Sum. VP = 8 + C(1x2) + M(1x2) + India(D=4) = 16.

GREEK S.S. (E): Play "Jewish Revolt" 1EI @ Pal (5,4:2:2 -1AI) & "Allies". Play 1A,C,EM @ Mor, 1A @ Pin, Bal, 1F @ Bla, EMS (5,2:1 -1AF), WMS, 1A @ Dal, SiB, Sha, CEu, Dan. VP = 7 + C(2x2) + c(2) + M(1x2) + S(3) + Mid E(P=3) + N Afr (P=2) + S Eur (D=4) = 27.

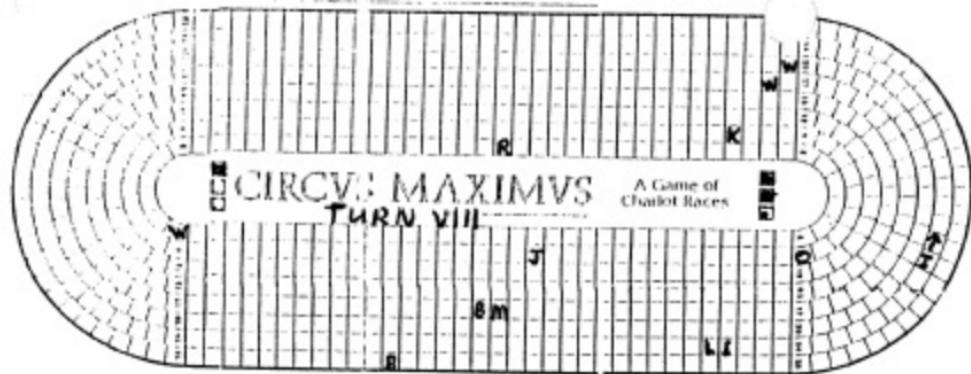
SCYTHIANS (G): Play Kingdom in UNI (+GI,c,f), play 1A @ Cau, Dni, CEu(4,2:1 -1EII), NGa, Alb, CMa, Cau. VP = 12 + C(2x2) + c(2) + M(2x2 + 1) + Mid E(P=3) + N Afr(D=4) + S Eur (P=2) = 32.

CARTHAGINA (P): Play 1A,C @ Sha (1EII r-SiB), ...

BOARD:

Anderson: RI: Hin.
M. Fisher: YI: Cey, EGh, WDe(2); YII: GaD, GaV, Mal, Sum, UIn(C,YM)
Klausutis: PI: PPl, Tar(PM), Tur; PII: Sha(C), ...
McCabe: OI: SiK, Yell(C,OM); OII: Che, Irr, Wei (C,OM), Yan

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INDY SCORES 2ND DOLPHIN!!

ODDS	COLOR	DRIVER (CDM/DH)	CART	Whip	Wheels	TEAM	END	Speed	D/E
3-1	Green	Indy (+1/9)	L	y	0/0	6447	26	22	1/1
4-1	Blue	Blue Maximus (+2/6)	L	y	0/0	5434	20	17	1/1
16-1	White	Lingus (+1/8)	L	y	0/0	2446	29	17	1/1
	Orange	Josephis (+2/6)	W			5445	21	18	1/1
	Black	team	W			6435	09	18	1/1
	Red	team	W			7543	16	19	1/1

ACTION

JOSEPHIS (R Fisher): 20. Driver freeing roll 8-2 = 6 free. 4/2 = 2 damage being dragged. Team ends ahead 20. Josephis ahead 6.

LINGUS (Kanne): 17, whip (+2, -2 END). Ahead 14, driver lash Indy. Indy brakes (9+2 vs 8+1, -2 END). Ahead 4.

KICKIMUS MAXIMUS BUTTIMUS (Reynolds): 19. Team ahead 19. Driver just stands there.

BLUE MAXIMUS (Anderson): 17, no whip. Ahead 17.

BLACK TEAM: 18. Ahead 18.

INDY (Copeland): 22, no whip. In 2, ahead 4, attack Lingus cart-to-horse. L fails to evade (3+1 vs 4+2) and takes 8-3 = 5 - 0 injury. Out 1, ahead 11. Score 2nd dolphin.

Due next time are your orders for Turn 9.

Press:

The searing pain in his head brought Indy to his knees in the chariot. His hand covered his eye. His bloody fingers traced the open whip gash from his left ear to his eye and he realized what Lingus had done to him.

Screaming metal sounds forced him to open his good eye. The chariot hub was scraping the wall. A quick flick of the reins and the horses corrected course. Good team.

Indy struggled to his feet. What to do? Race or revenge? If he lost the race, Antonio's gambling thugs would undoubtedly kill him. Even if he won the race, this would be his last, now that he was half blind. Indy was in a red rage. He carefully uncoiled his whip as the team thundered into the turn....

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LIQUOR IS QUICKER



OR 5.3 Only

Correction Corner: Tile Map Corrections & Orientations - C19(#42ne), E11(#67ne), I15(#53sw), I17(#27w). Previous OR#5.1 - NYNH upgraded D18 (not D20) w/tile #28(ne) - C&O shorted \$2 from last report

Standings: [Cert. Limit = 13] *PRR shares do not count

Paul Zieske - 6-PRR*, 6-Erie*, \$529 Priority Card [10]

Chuck Hanna - 6-C&O*, 2-B&O, 3-PRR; \$529 [10]

Kerry Watson - 5-B&O*, 2-B&M; \$387 [6]

Don Chinnery - 5-B&M*, 5-NYC*, 1-NYNH; \$467 [9]

Rick Copeland - 6-NYNH*, 6-CPR*; \$469 [10]

Corporate Standings:

Corp	Price	Par	I.O.	Pool	Trains	Treasury	Tokens
CPR	A126a	\$100	4	0	5	\$ 140	A19
Erie	A126b	\$100	4	0	5	\$ 81	E11(ne),D14
B&O	C125	\$100	2	1	4	\$ 264	I15,H16,H18(se)
C&O	E90	\$ 90	3	1	6	\$ 34	F6,H4
NYC	B90	\$100	4	1	4	\$ 73	E19
B&M	F80a	\$ 67	0	3	6	\$ 205	E23,F22
NYNH	F80b	\$ 71	0	3	4	\$ 206	G19(n),F22
PRR	H67	\$ 67	1	0	4.5	\$ 41	H12,H18(w),H16

OR#5.3

CPR - Lay tile #57 in B16(w), place token in E19 for \$40, run train - B16-A19-B20-E19-G19 for \$190, payout dividends! +\$114 RC, stock moves to A 142. Treasury = \$140-40 = \$100

Erie - Lay tile #59 in D10(se) for \$80, run train D10-E11-D14 for \$110, payout dividends! +\$66 PZ - stock moves to A 142b, Treasury = \$81-80 = \$1

B&O - Upgrade I15 w/tile #61(sw), run train - G19a-H18-I17-I15 for \$200, withhold dividends! stock moves to C111. Treasury = \$264+200 = \$464

C&O - Upgrade H10w/tile #15(w) - run train - F2-H4-H10-H16 for \$180, payout \$18/share dividends! +\$108 CH & +\$18 C&O, stock moves to E100. Treasury = \$34+18 = \$52

NYC - No tile or token (permission denied), run train - A19-B20-E19-G19n for \$170, payout dividends! +\$85 DC & \$17 NYC, stock moves to B100, treasury = \$73+17 = \$90

B&M - Lay tile #7 in D22(ne) for \$120, run train - E23-F24-F22-F20-G19-E19 for \$230, payout \$23/share dividends! +\$115 DC, +\$46KW & +\$69 B&M, stock moves to E90, treasury = \$205-120+69 = \$154

NYNH - No tile play, run train E23-F22-F20-G19 for \$180, payout \$18/share dividends! +\$108 RC, +\$18 DC & +\$54 NYNH, stock moves to E90b, treasury = \$206+54= \$262

PRR - Lay tile #8 in G9(ne), run trains - H18-G19-G17-H18-H16 for \$230 & F2-H4-H10-H16 for \$180, withhold \$410 dividends! stock moves to H60y. Treasury = \$41+410 = \$451

Standings: [Cert. Limit = 13]

Paul Zieske - 6-PRR*, 6-Erie*, \$529 Priority Card [10]

Chuck Hanna - 6-C&O*, 2-B&O, 3-PRR: 8637 [10]

Kerry Watson - 5-B&O*, 2-B&M: 8433 [6]

Don Chinnery - 5-B&M*, 5-NYC*, 1-NYNH: 8685 [9]

Rick Copeland - 6-NYNH*, 6-CPR*: 8691 [10]

Corporate Standing:

Corp	Price	Par	I.O.	Pool	Trains	Treasury	Tokens
CPR	A142a	\$100	4	0	5	\$ 100	A19,E19
Erie	A142b	\$100	4	0	5	\$ 1	E11(e),D14
B&O	C111	\$100	2	1	4	\$ 464	I15,H16,H18(se)
C&O	E100	\$ 90	3	1	6	\$ 52	F6,H4
NYC	B100	\$100	4	1	4	\$ 90	E19
B&M	E90a	\$ 67	0	3	6	\$ 154	E23,F22
NYNH	E90b	\$ 71	0	3	4	\$ 262	G19(n),F22
PRR	H60y	\$ 67	1	0	4,5	\$ 451	H12,H18(w),H16

Available Trains: D,D,D,D+

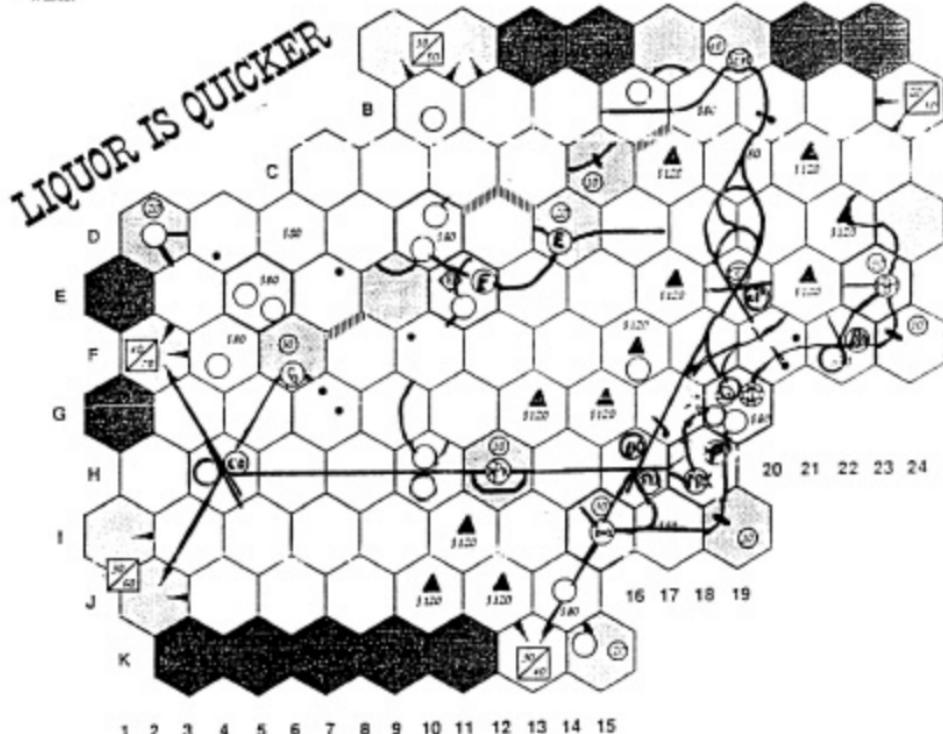
Available Tiles:

Yellow: #1(-), #2(-), #3(2), #4(2), #7(3), #8(3), #9(1), #55(1), #56(1), #57(2), #58(1) & #69(1)

Green: #14(3), #15(0), #16(1), #18(1), #19(1), #20(1), #23(3), #24(3), #25(1), #26(1), #27(0), #28(1), #29(0), #53(-), #59(1)

Brown: #39(1), #40(1), #41(2), #42(1), #43(1), #44(1), #45(2), #46(2), #47(1), #61(-), #62(-), #63(0),

Orders due for next time are Stock Round #6. Have orders from all but Paul, please amend if you wish.



1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15

SILVERTON

One Depletion!

Turns 13b/14a

Errata: #29 is depleted. Claim #37 has 2 L. Zieske has B22. #106 has only 2 Cu.

Farrow declines #91. Chinnery declines #104. Hanna declines #8.

PLAYER STATUS

#1 (Hassler): \$13,325, S+2, P, A2, A3, #37(2 L), A1, #50(3 C), #7(3.5 Au), #64, #66
#2 (Farrow): \$5650, S, P+2, #16(2 Ag, D), A4, #15(1 Ag, D), B7, B9
#3 (Zieske): \$23,175, S+1, P+1, #79(1.5 Ag, D), A20, #74(2 Au, D), #76(0.25 Au, D), #85(4 Cu, D),
#102, #81(1 Ag), #88(1 Cu), B22
#4 (Chinnery): \$14,625, S, P+2, #43, A5, #47(3 C), #49(4 C, D), #106(2 Cu)
#5 (M. Fisher): \$8550, S+1, P+1, #58(3 C), #23(1 Ag), #25
#6 (Hanna): \$13,200, S+2, P, A19, #89(8 L), #90, #96(4 C)

AVAILABLE CLAIMS:

#2: Marysville (Au: \$600/\$200) #8: Fairplay (Au: \$500/\$250)
#26: Silverton (Ag: \$500/\$250) #59: Durango (C: \$400/\$100)
#62: Canon City (C: \$200/\$100) #68: Raton (C: \$400/\$200)
#91: Paxton Springs (L: \$500/\$200) #97: York Canyon (C: \$500/\$150)
#104: South Fork (Ag: \$500/\$200) A6, B10-12, B21, C17, C18, C24

The Deck

TURN 13b/14a

#1: Operate A1 (+\$100), A2 (+\$250), A3 (+\$400), #7 (-\$400: 10 = 1 Au), #50(-\$100: 7 = 3 C),
#64(-\$250: 7 = 3 C), #37(-\$100: 9 = 2 L), #66(-\$200: 4+6 = 4 C). Deliver 6 C from #50 to
Denver (+\$4200) and 4 L from #37 to Denver (+\$4000). / Prospect #104 (-\$400). Survey south
to Taos (-\$100).
#2: Operate A4 (+\$1350), B7 (+\$600), B9 (+\$1350). Deliver 3 Ag from #16 & #15 to Denver
(+\$6000). / Prospect #8 (-\$500). Survey west again from Rangely (-\$700).
#3: Operate A20 (+\$300), #102 (-\$150: 9 = 3 C), #81 (-\$200: 7 = D), #88 (-\$100: 12 = 3 Cu), B22
(-\$700). Deliver 2 Au from #74 (+\$12,000) & 4 Cu from #85 to SF (\$8000). / Prospect #91
(-\$500), survey Santa Rita to Hillsboro (-\$1200).
#4: Operate #43 (-\$150: 5 = 2 C), A5 (+\$100), #47 (-\$100: 7 = 3 C), #106 (-\$400: 9 = 1 Cu).
Deliver 6 C from #47 (+\$900) and 3 Cu from #106 (\$6000) to SLC. / Prospect Deck (#40).
Survey to Grand Junction (-\$200).
#5: Operate #23 (-\$200: 7 = 0.5 Ag), #58 (-\$150: 6 = 2 C), #25(-\$200: 3+6 = 1 Ag). Deliver 5 C
from #58 to Denver (+\$3500). / Prospect #26 (-\$500). Survey Ouray-Telluride (-\$900).
#6: Operate A19 (+\$450), #89 (-\$150: 6 = 1 L), #96 (-\$150: 6 = 2 C). Deliver 9 L to EP (\$9000). /
Prospect B21 (-\$2025). Survey San Ysidro-Cuba (-\$800).

THE MARKETS (TURN 13)

Au: 4 + (2x4) = 12 -> -1	\$5000u	Ag: 5 + (3x2) - 4 = 7 -> +1	\$2000u
Cu: 1 + 7 = -2 -> nc	\$1400	Den L: 6 + 4 - 4 = 6 -> nc	\$1000
SLC L: 8 + 6 - 4 = 10 -> -2	\$1000	Pueb L: 8 + 0 - 4 = 4 -> +1	\$1000
SF L: 8 + 0 - 4 = 4 -> +1	\$800	EP L: 6 + 9 - 4 = 11 -> -3	\$500
Den C: 6 + (11/2) - 4 = 7 -> nc	\$700	SLC C: 5 + (6/2) - 4 = 4 -> +1	\$200
Pueb C: 8 + 0 - 4 = 4 -> +1	\$400	SF C: 11 + 2 - 4 = 9 -> -1	\$300u
EP C: 12 + 0 - 4 = 8 -> nc	\$700		

PLAYER STATUS

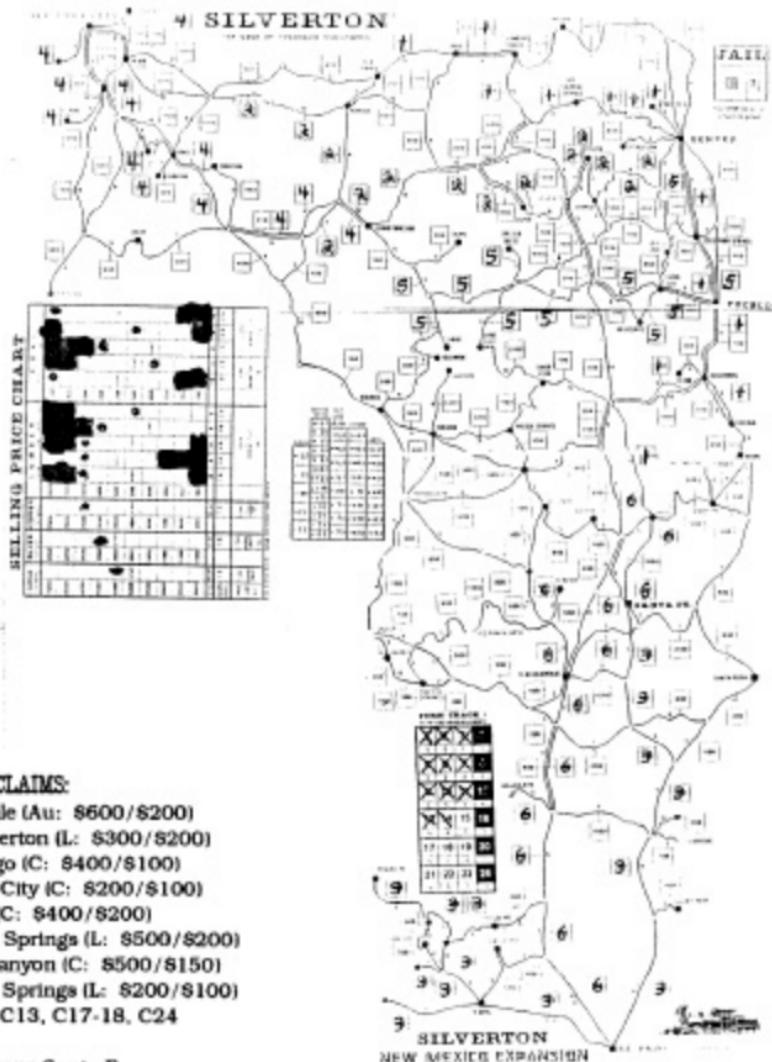
#1 (Hassler): \$19,525, S+2, P, A2, A3, #37, A1, #50 #7(4.5 Au), #64(3 C), #66(4 C), #104

#2 (Farrow): \$13,750, S, P+2, A4, B7, B9, #8
 #3 (Zieske): \$42,125, S+1, P+1, #79(1.5 Ag, D), A20, #76(0.25 Au, D), #102(3 C), #81(1 Ag, D), #88(4 Cu), B22, #91
 #4 (Chinnery): \$21,075, S, P+2, #43(2 C), A5, #47, #49(4 C, D), #106, **#40?**
 #5 (M. Fisher): \$10,100, S+1, P+1, #58, #23(1.5 Ag), #25(1 Ag), **#26**
 #6 (Hannah): \$19,525, S+2, P, A19, #89(9 L), **#90**, #96(6 C), B21

DEPLETIONS: 1, 4, 10-12, 15-16, 18, 24, 29, 32, 44-45, 49, 53, 57, 70-74, 76, 79-81, 83-87, 10C

Claims in **bold** are "virgin". "u" = upper, "L" = lower, "m" = mid, underlined depletions Leadville

Due next are orders for Turns 14b/15a.





ADVANCED CIVILIZATION



Babylon Dodges Calamities!

TURN 15.0 through 16.3

Cast:

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General Comments:

Crete and Egypt have expansion orders to provide by August 24 at 6:00 PM Eastern Time. I will then send that information out to other players.

15.0 Trading

1. Iberia trades Dye , Silver + Salt to Africa for Bronze , Spice + Papyrus
2. Iberia trades Gold, Oil + Oil to Babylon for Bronze, Papyrus + Papyrus
3. Egypt trades Cloth, Timber + Ochre to Babylon for Oil, Oil + Iron, Iron
4. Africa trades Gems, Wine + Slave Revolt to Babylon for Salt, Ochre + Resin, Resin, Grain
5. Crete trades Cloth, Silver + Iron to Babylon for Wine, Timber + Timber, Slave Revolt

15.1 Resolve Calamities

Treachery (Egypt): Drawn by Egypt. Buhen is reduced to 4 tokens (with Agriculture). Famine (Africa): Africa holds 1 Grain and Pottery so only loses 6 unit points: removes 2 each from WMau, Sabr, Trip. House rule 30.311 calls for each of the top 5 players (other than the primary victim) reduce 5 unit points each. The top 5 players are Babylon, Egypt, Africa, Iberia and Assyria.

Babylon loses 2 each from Chal, Medi and 1 from Alex. Egypt reduces Memphis to 3 and Thebes to 2. Iberia holds Grain and Pottery so only loses 1 unit point: removes _____. Slave Revolt (Crete): 11 tokens can be used for support with 9 cities. Reduce Knos and Phae giving 18 tokens available and only 7 cities. Flood (Iberia): Gaul is reduced to 1 and Narbo is reduced to 2. Civil Disorder and Iconoclasm & Heresy (Egypt): Discarded. Monotheism: Africa takes over Cyra (Egypt loses 3T).

15.2 Acquisition of Civilization Cards

Al - Trades In 5 Ochre - 25, 3 Dye - 72, Silver - 6 + 87 = 110. Buys Mathematics (230 - 20 ea. for Eng, As, Co, Med, Mu and 5 ea. for Dr, Ar, Li, My) = 110.

Ab - Trades In 6 Bronze - 216, 5 Spice - 175, 4 Papyrus - 32 = 423. Buys Democracy (200 - 10 ea. for Po, Cl, Met, Ag, Eng, Dr, Mu, Ar and 25 for Li), Philosophy (240 - 20 ea. for Eng, As, Co, Med, Mu and 25 for Li), Mathematics (230 - 20 ea. for Eng, As, Co, Med, Mu and 5 ea. for Dr, Ar, Li, My) and Enlightenment (150 - 10 ea. for Dr, Mu, Ar, Li and 15 ea. for My) = 415.

Cr - Trades In 2 Timber - 12, 2 Salt - 12, Oil - 4, Ivory - 9, Ochre - 1 + 82 = 40. [Orders called for trading in Spice and \$4 from treasury, but my records indicate that Crete only has \$2 treasury so I substituted Ivory for Spice.] Buys Drama and Poetry (60 - 5 ea. for Mu, Ar, Li, My) = 40.

As - Turns in Silver, Gems to get to 8 cards.

Ba - Trades In 4 Gems - 200 (with Mining) and 5 Cloth - 125 = 325. Buys Mathematics (230 - 20 ea. for Eng, As, Co, Med, Mu, and 5 ea. for Dr, Ar, Li, My), Democracy (200 - 10 ea. Po, Cl, Met, Ro, Min, Eng, Dr, Mu, Ar, and 25 for Li) and Monotheism (220 - 10 ea. for Po, Cl, Met, Ro, Min, Eng, and 15 ea. for My. Enli) = 325.

Eg - Trades In 4 Iron - 32, 3 Oil - 36, Silver - 6 and Gold - 36 (with Mining) = 110. Buys Mathematics (230 - 20 ea. for Eng, As, Co, Mu and 5 ea. for Dr, Ar, Li, My) = 110.

16.1 After AST

Af 9C, 1600 Civ.: Advances to 350 BC. **Ib** 7C, 2140 Civ.: Advances to 350 BC. **Cr** 7C: clear sailing to 500 BC. **As** 4C: clear sailing to 500 BC. **Ba** 9C, 2110 Civ.: Advances to 350 BC. **Eg** 6C, 1870 Civ.: Advances to 350 BC.

Turn 16 - 500 BC

16.1 Collect Taxes: Africa taxes @ 81/C 89, Iberia taxes @ 83/C 821, Crete [No orders received assume default taxation] taxes @ 82/C 814. Assyria also provided no taxation orders but also has no reserves so it again suffers a tax revolt. Babylon taxes @ 82/C 818, and Egypt taxes @ 81/C 86. Resolution of the tax revolt. Africa has 21 unit points in reserve, Iberia 14, Crete 18, Assyria 25, Babylon 16 and Egypt 33. Egypt is the recipient of 3 cities, Salamis, Sinope, and Troy. Assyria retains Nalchik, having the second most unit points in reserve. (The cities were those judged to be the most readily accessible by Egypt.)

16.2 Population Expansion

Af - 21R, 16 places - doubles. **Ib** - 4R, 29 places - expands: 1 Gaul, 1 Narb, 1 Aqui, 1 Pyre. **Cr** - 8R, 26 places - [No expansion orders given.] **As** - 0R - no expansion. **Ba** - 16R, 15 places - doubles. **Eg** - 18R, 20 places - [No expansion orders given.]

16.3 Census [Assyria and Babylon move last because of Military.]

Crete - 41T, 7C, 0R, 14S, 825 Civ., 500 BC, VP: 2389 + 5 Cards
Iberia - 34T, 7C, 0R, 21S, 1990 Civ., 350 BC, VP: 3861 + 2 Cards
Egypt - 26T, 9C, 18R, 11S, 1870 Civ., 350 BC, VP: 3731 + 2 Cards
Africa - 23T, 9C, 21R, 11S, 1830 Civ., 350 BC, VP 3691 + 7 Cards
Assyria - 40T, 1C, 0R, 15S, 1390 Civ., 500 BC, VP 2655 + 8 Cards
Babylon - 35T, 9C, 1R, 20S, 2760 Civ., 350 BC, VP: 4630 + 5 Cards

The Board:

Africa - 23T, 9C, 21R, 11S, 1830 Civ., 350 BC, VP 3691 + 7 Cards. Civ.: As, Cl, Ar, Po, Ag, Mu, Li, My, Eng, Dr, Eni, Co, Del, Mo, Met, Med, Ma. C: Neap, Trpt, Cirt, Pale, Thap, Itha, Syra, Ebus and Tare. S: Phoe, Liby, Cyre and Camp. 4T Cyre, Phoe; 3T Cart, Camp, Numi; 2T Liby, NAfr; 1T EMau, WMau; - 23

Iberia - 34T, 7C, 0R, 21S, 1990 Civ., 350 BC, VP: 3861 + 2 Cards. Civ.: Po, Eng, Ar, Met, My, Mu, Dr, Li, Co, Cl, La, Ag, As, Med, Dem, Ph, Ma, Eni. C: Cord, Mass, Sard, Lugd, NCar, Tarr, Rome. S: None. 3T Cyre, Aqui, Pyre, Narb; 2T Etru, Hisp, Iber, Rhae, Bala, Cara, Cisa, Gaul; 1T Lond, Belg, Lusi, Baet, UGer, Cors - 34

Thrace - 27T, 3C, 21R, 7S, 285 Civ., 800 BC, VP 1442 + 3 Cards. Civ.: Cl, Met, My and Ag. C: Moes, Byza, Rhin. S: None. 3T Scyt; 2T Mace, LGer, Germ, Pann, Rubi, Samn, Dalm, Illy, Daci, Crim; 1T Appo, Paeo, Sude, Danu - 27

Crete - 41T, 7C, 0R, 14S, 825 Civ., 500 BC, VP: 2389 + 5 Cards. Civ.: Ag, Li, Co, Met, My, Ar, As, Cl, Mu and Dr. C: Spar, Cort, Argo, Chal, Rhod, Sard, Ath. S: Thra, Ath. 4T Ioni, Knos; 3T Thra, Thes, Phae; 2T Mile, Epir, Ther, Thes, Lesb, Lemn, Eret; 1T Delp, Lyct; +8T ??? = 41

Assyria - 40T, 1C, 0R, 15S, 1390 Civ., 500 BC, VP 2655 + 8 Cards. Civ.: Dr, Co, Ag, Eng, Met, Ro, Min, Mil, Del, My, Po, Cl. C: Nale. S: None. 5T Assy; 4T Arme; 3T Gala, Miko, Bith, Anka, Anti, Gord, Kane; 2T Capp, LArm, Cypr, Phry, Van = 40

Babylon - 34T, 9C, 1R, 20S, 2760 Civ., 350 BC, VP: 4630 + 5 Cards. Civ.: Eng, Min, My, Dr, Co, Ar, Met, Po, Mil, Med, Eni, Mu, As, La, Lt, Cl, Th, Ro, Ma, Dem, Mo. C: Baby, Mari, Carr, Alep, Arab, Char, Susa, Nine, Ur. S: Alex, 6T Baba; 5T Alex, Syria; 4T Sume, Elam, Part, Dama, Gaza = 34

Egypt - 26T, 9C, 18R, 11S, 1870 Civ., 350 BC, VP: 3731 + 2 Cards. Civ.: My, Po, Cl, Eng, As, Dr, Co, Mu, Min, Lt, Med, Ar, Met, Ro, Ag, Del, Eni, La. C: Siwa, EDes, Sido, Jerl, Tyre, Petr, Sala, Sino, Troy. Ships: Tyre, Ptol. 3T WDes, Buhen, Memph; 2T Ptol, Jeru, Mid, Fayu, Nubi, Sini, Tani, Theb = 26

Due two (2) weeks before the general deadline, 16.2 - Population Expansion (Crete and Egypt only). Due one (1) week before general deadline, 16.4 - Ship Construction through 16.9 - Trade Card



AIR BARON



Recession!

TURN 12

ERRATA: HL wasn't credited with the MIA and MCO draws last time, so has \$19 more.

THE CAST

Flamingo Airlines (Farrow): PHL(J), BUF, PVD, SJU, SYR, YUL (JFK); SLC, MCI, OMA (DIA); JAX, RNO; \$28, 100 MS, 20L.

Hoffa Domain (Ringhoffer): CLE, DAY (DTW); BHM, BNA, CVG, GIG(w/SST) (ATL); BWL, ORF, PIT (DCA); BOS, \$40, 100 MS, Ifw

Air Rage Airways (Reynolds): ANC, PDX, SEA(J), SMF (SFO); RDU, MSP, CMH, STL, \$16, 40 MS
Chickadee Air Express (Butitta): AUS, BOG, MSY, SAT (HOU); ABQ, ELP, TUS (PHX); LIT, MEM, OKC, TUL (DFW); MKE, \$11, 160 MS, \$10L

Air Disaster (Wordelmann): \$29, HNL(J), LAS, SAN (LAX); 100 MS, GC(5)

Hindenburg Lines (Copeland): MCO, PBI, TPA, NAS, PTY (MIA); CLT, \$23, 60 MS, J(u)

TURN 12: AD collects \$5 for Government Contract. FA pays \$2 interest. CAE pays \$1 interest. AD (Ifw) draws CLE (HD +\$3), LIT (CAE +\$1), takes over TUS (-\$2, 9+3:2+3), and ELP(-\$4, 6+3:6+2), but not ABQ(-\$4, 8+3:10+2). CAE loses 40 MS, AD gains 20 MS.

HL (ofw) draws ORF (HD +\$1) & AUS (CAE +\$2), buy Jumbo (-\$10, u)

HD (ofw) draws MCO (HL +\$7) & OMA (FA +\$1), buy LHR (-\$20).

FA (Ifw) draws MKE (CAE +\$2) & Jumbo Profit (HL +\$10, AD, ARA +\$5, FA Ifw). Pays off loan (-\$20). Falls to takeover TUL (-\$2, 7+3:9+2).

ARA (ofw) draws TUS (AD Ifw) & BWL(HD +\$4). Buy SEN with SST (-\$20)

CAE (ofw) draws SEA (ARA +\$14) & SJU (FA Ifw), buy CUN (-\$10).

AIRLINE STATUS

Flamingo Airlines (Farrow): PHL(J), BUF, PVD, SJU, SYR, YUL (JFK); SLC, MCI, OMA (DIA); JAX, RNO; \$5, 100 MS, Ifw.

Hoffa Domain (Ringhoffer): CLE, DAY (DTW); BHM, BNA, CVG, GIG(w/SST) (ATL); BWL, LHR, ORF, PIT (DCA); BOS, \$28, 100 MS, Ifw

Air Rage Airways (Reynolds): ANC, PDX, SEA(J), SMF (SFO); RDU, MSP, CMH, STL, \$15, 40 MS
Chickadee Air Express (Butitta): AUS, BOG, MSY, SAT (HOU); CUN, LIT, MEM, OKC, TUL (DFW); MKE, ABQ, \$5, 120 MS, \$10L

Air Disaster (Wordelmann): \$30, HNL(J), LAS, SAN (LAX); ELP, TUS (PHX); 120 MS, GC(5), Ifw

Hindenburg Lines (Copeland): MCO, PBI, TPA, NAS, PTY (MIA); CLT, \$13, 60 MS, 2J(u)

TURN 13:

Air Line Order & Chit Draws: CAE (CLE, CLT), HL (Strike, MCO), HD (HNL, PVD), ARA (TUL, JAX), AD(SAN, PBI), FA (Bld, Recession).

Due next time are your orders for Turn 13. Include your bid for the Government Contract. Strike Settlement is now at \$5.

PRESS:

ARA TO AD: You're gonna get a foot in the butt instead.

LEGEND:

GC = government contract, Ifw = in fare wars, J = jumbo jet, L = loan, MS = market share, ofw = out of fare wars, u = undeployed



KINGMAKER

Lancaster Killed!

Turn 9

KM 00-1

8-6-01

THE FACTIONS:

A: Phil Reynolds' The Knights Who Say "Nee!" B: Lee McConnell's Blue Falcon
C: Don Chinnery's Angevin D: Dave Anderson's Blue Meanties
E: David Kurtz's Black Adders F: Flint Webb's Chancellor of the Mighty Horde
GMing By Mike Scott The California Connection.

Event Card Responses: Stanley is returned to Douglas, Stafford goes to Leeds, Bourchier goes to Rochester, and maybe some Flemish Foot Soldiers went Bye-Bye.

Between Turn Happenings: Pole into play @ Wingfield. With the distribution of the Crown Cards last turn, we've gone thru the deck one time. Thus if there are any players who drop out, I will not seek replacements for them. Their Nobles will hold in place, and per the NMR rules, eventually be pulled from the map. I was also asked about the status of the Duke of Lancaster, since all the Lancasterian Heirs are dead... I have a 3 part answer. 1) Until killed, the Duke will hold in place and be belligerent - or, as he is currently a captive, he can be moved by his captor's. 2) If he is left uncontrolled he'd remain where released, and not recontrolled until if & when the Noble Beaufort comes into play. Beaufort is the next in line and the Duke will then be controlled by the Faction playing Beaufort. 3) Would all players please read the original rules on page 4 about the Beaufort status in regards to winning the game

Nobles and Ships holding in Place:

Courtney @ Okehampton, Fitzalan @ Chirk, Stanley @ Douglas, Stafford @ Leeds, Talbot @ Cardigan, Le Christopher @ Penzance, Le George @ Plymouth, Le Margaret @ Rochester, Le Nicolas @ London, Le Swan @ Berwick, Le Trinity @ Plymouth.

Nobles and Ships moving:

Berkeley (Berkeley) H28-H26-H 20-Ludlow(c). Bourchier (Rochester) Blackheath-London-St Albans-H22-Kenilworth. Clifford, Grey, Hastings, Howard, Roos, Scrope, Stafford w/ his captive Duke of Lancaster, (Coventry (c)) Eccleshall-W14-W9-W8-Harlech. Cromwell, Greystoke, & Percy (M31) M36-Newcastle-W7-W10-W9. Duke of York (Coventry)-Tewkesbury-H26-W32-W31-W30. Herbert (Ashby) Kenilworth-H26-H20-Ludlow(c). Mowbray (Denbigh) W10-W14-W18-Ludlow(c). Pole (Wingfield) Royston-H25-H22-H21-H28 using a Free Move Card continues H26-H20-Ludlow(c). Neville w/ King Richard, Audley w/ Edward of March & Bourchier (Harlech(c)) W12-W15-W19-W22-Cardigan(c).

COMBATS: None. But at the end of this phase, the Duke of Lancaster is killed.

SEIGES: TWO, the first @ Cardigan; Audley transfers Edward to Neville, then does a mighty Seige: card is Storms @ Sea 2-1, and thus captures Talbot & George. The second is @ Ludlow, where Berkeley, Herbert, Mowbray, & Pole seige the castle for some unknown reason. Card drawn is Event Card to Berkeley's Faction, then Plague Colchester & Ipswich 4-1, and all survive...Berkeley goes inside, the others remain outside.

TURN NINE CROWN CARDS: There was only one in the deck at this time, and it goes to the Black Adders.

TURN TEN EVENT CARDS: 21 Nobles in Play mean 6 cards are drawn:

1. Storms @ Sea, 3:1
2. Peasant Revolt; Constable of the Tower of London to Blackheath, Stafford to Leeds, MAJ
3. Scots Raid; Warden of the Northern Marches to Bamburgh, 5:4
4. French Raid; Courtenay to Okehampton, Holland to Compton, Admiral of England to

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RUSSIAN CIVIL WAR

Assassin Fails, Purge Doesn't!

TURN 13.A.1-5



ERRATA: Errata: "D" has 2 AM; "F" has 1 AM.

TURN 13.A.1 TRADES: None.

TURN 13.A.2 MOVEMENT:

A: Wrangel (2W2, Yudenich, 1W3) Eriv-Kars-Kuta-Kuba-Taur.

B: Smirnov (Peterson, Yeserov, Frunze, Slavin) Yeli-Tifl, Veroshilov (1R2, Kidvidze, 1R3) Yeli-Tifl, 1BY2 Viln-Vite.

C: No movement.

D: Zinoviev (Lenin, 1R2, Kalnin, Bogomoletz) Mins-Vite; 2Po6 @ Kurs-Voro; Rodzyanko Chel-Ekat. Use 2 AM to assassinate Bonch-B (6+1-1 < 7 no, 2 AM to E) @ Chel.

E: Kamenev (Sytin, Sorokin) & Bonch-B (1R3, Tukachevsky, Gall) Yeka-DonC-Sara-Sama-Oren-Chel

F: Vatzetis (Trotsky, 1R3, 1R8) & Sabin (Stalin, Berzin, Antonov) & 1TC2 Tifl-Dagh.

TURN 13.A.3 PURGE: **B** combines with **E** to purge Bogomoletz from player **D**. (6 = 1, yes), control going to player **E**.

TURN 13.A.4 RANDOMIZER: None.

TURN 13.A.5 RANDOM EVENTS:

1. (6,5) Subversive attacks doubled	2. (6,2) Subversive attacks doubled
3. (2,3) Epidemic @ Don C, Sama, Spass, Volh	

We have a proposal for a mutual draw. VOTE with next set of orders! One or more

THE BOARD:

A (Scott): Wrangel (2W2, Yudenich, 1W3) @ Taur.

B (J Bargender): Smirnov (Peterson, Yeserov, Frunze, Slavin) & Veroshilov (1R2, Kidvidze, 1R3) @ Tifl; 1By2 @ Vite; Budyenny @ Mins.

C (Copeland): 2Uk2(Au) @ Taur.

D (M Fisher): Zinoviev (Lenin, 1R2, Kalnin) @ Vite; 2Po6 @ Voro; Rodzyanko @ Ekat.

E (Alan Bargender): Kamenev (Sytin, Sorokin) & Bonch-B (1R3, Tukachevsky, Gall) @ Chel, 4Be2 @ Esto, Bogomoletz @ Vite.

F (K Wilson): Vatzetis (Trotsky, 1R3, 1R8), Sabin (Stalin, Berzin, Antonov) & 1TC2 @ Dagh.

VP CHART:

A: 2 AM, 3 RVP, 11 WVP	B: 9 PM, 3 AM, 6 RVP, 4 WVP	C: 6 RVP, 2 WVP, 2 AM
D: 5 PM, 2 AM, 45 RVP, 12 WVP	E: 1 PM, 7 AM, 13 RVP, 0 WVP	F: 8 RVP, 1 WVP, 1 AM

Due next time are trades, combat, and purges for Turn 13.B.

LEGEND: AM = Assassination Marker, Au = gold, j = joins, L = leader, PM = Politburo Marker, R = Red unit, RVP = Red Victory Point, W = White unit, WVP = White Victory Point



BRITANNIA

"Egbert"

Turn II



The Cast:

Blue: Kevin Wilson Green: Dave Anderson Purple: Chuck Hanna Red: Peter Boyum

Board

Romans: 3L,F @ Dalrada; 2L,F @ Lothian; 2L @ Wessex; 1L,F @ Avalon, Cumbria, Dunedin, Hwicce, March; F @ Bernicia, Downlands, Essex, Kent, Lindsey, N Mercia, Norfolk, S Mercia, Suffolk, Sussex, York

Welsh (1.5): 2A @ Devon, Powys; 1A @ Chwyd, Cornwall, Dyfed, Gwent, Gwynedd

Brigantes (1): 4A @ Galloway; 2A @ Strathclyde.

Picts (0.5): 2A @ Alban, Skye; 1A @ Mar, Moray

Caledonians (1.5): 2A @ Caithness; 1A @ Hebrides, Orkneys

Score: Purple 25, Blue 3, Green 1, Red 0

Turn: 33 (cont)

Brigantes (2.5): Grow 1.5. Add 1A Strathclyde. Phil Reynolds resigns. Peter Boyum assumes command. 4A @ Galloway-Cumbria (5.6,2,1:2,2; 4,2,2; 1; 6,4,1:6 -1L, -1F, -1Brig +4 RVP). 2A @ Strathclyde-Galloway. Brigs are overpopulated and lose 1A @ Cumbria.

Picts (0.5): Grow 3.5 PP. Add 1A @ Skye. Hold

Caledonians (1.5): Grow 1.5 PP. Add 1A @ Caithness. Hold.

Score: Purple 25, Red 4, Blue 3, Green 1

Board

Romans: 3L,F @ Dalrada; 2L,F @ Lothian; 2L @ Wessex; 1L,F @ Avalon, Dunedin, Hwicce, March; F @ Bernicia, Downlands, Essex, Kent, Lindsey, N Mercia, Norfolk, S Mercia, Suffolk, Sussex, York

Welsh (1.5): 2A @ Devon, Powys; 1A @ Chwyd, Cornwall, Dyfed, Gwent, Gwynedd

Brigantes (1): A @ Cumbria; 2A @ Galloway.

Picts (1): 2A @ Alban, Skye; 1A @ Mar, Moray

Caledonians (0): 2A @ Caithness; 1A @ Hebrides, Orkneys

Legend: A = infantry army, C = cavalry army, F = fort, L = legion or leader, PP = population point, R = raider, r-??? = retreats to ???, w-??? = withdraws to ???, * = in melee, # = attack by/against legion

--KINGMAKER (continued from p 15)

Penzance with 2 Ships, 5:4

- Peasant Revolt; Courtenay to Okehampton, Holland to Compton, Duke of Exeter to Exeter, Chancellor of Cornwall to Plymouth, Marshal of England to Bodmin, Bad Weather.
- Scots Raid; Warden of the Marches to Bamburgh, Marshal of England to Cheviots, 3:1.

Royal Heirs: Edmund is in Ireland, George is now in the hands of Audley inside Cardigan, Audley, King Richard of York & Edward of March are controlled by Neville. Richard of Gloucester, Edward of Wales, Henry & Margaret are all DEAD.

PRESS: NEVILLE TO ALL: That was fun! Now where can I find me some more royalty? Oh, looky, there's George! I think he wants to join in the merriment!

DEADLINE: HOW ABOUT 9/1/01 MIDNIGHT MY TIME...

ON DECK

1835: Chinnery, R Fisher(?), Butitta, Hanna
1856: Chinnery, Butitta, Hanna, Frueh
AGE OF RENAISSANCE: Hanna, Klausutis, Copeland
BRITANNIA: Anderson, Hanna, Reynolds
CIRCUS IMPERIUM: Reynolds
CIRCUS MAXIMUS: Narhi



Tourney Rules: Anderson, R Fisher, need 6 more
DIPLOMACY: Curtis, Morrison, Reynolds, Fowble
DOWN WITH THE KING: Copeland, Anderson, Fowble
DUNE: Anderson, R Fisher, K Wilson; need 3-6 more
GLADIATOR: Reynolds
GUNSLINGER: Scott, Fowble; need 3 more
JUNTA: Copeland, Anderson, Reynolds, Hanna, Narhi
MAGIC REALM: Butitta
MERCHANT OF VENUS: R Fisher
MONSTERS RAVAGE AMERICA: Butitta, TJ Klausutis(?)
REPUBLIC OF ROME: Copeland, (Webb), Reynolds, Narhi
SOURCE OF THE NILE (*A. Bargender GM): Reynolds, Farrow, Chinnery
TITAN: Khaos, A & J Bargender, (Webb), Reynolds; need 1 or 2 more
WIZARD'S QUEST: A&J Bargender, Farrow, Reynolds

OTHER POSSIBILITIES: 1829 (IN OR SI), 1870, AFTER THE HOLOCAUST (*GM Fowble),
GODSFIRE, KAMAKURA, KREMLIN, PLANET MINERS.

* Offered by guest GM, when space is available.

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William T. Riker: Awaiting Turn 26 combat. We'll get this moving soon. I'm probably the hold up here, but it may be that one of you thought default orders applied but I didn't.

Please expedite your orders. I'd like to finish "Willie" soon. Coming when "Willie" reaches Turn 36.

"Kurzon Dax": We have at least two applicants, others apply soonest.

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